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SUBJECT: VISIT OF ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATOR DR.
ROBERT SEAMANS

1. IN CONNECTION WITH ATTENDANCE NINETEENTH IAEA GENERAL CONFERENCE

IN VIENNA IN SEPTEMBER, U.S. ERDA ADMINISTRATOR, DR. ROBERT C. SEAMANS, JR., ACCOMPANIED BY ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, NELSON F. SIEVERING, JR. AND ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR NUCLEAR ENERGY, DR. ROBERT W. ROBERTS, WOULD PROPOSE VISIT ADDRESSEE POSTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TENTATIVE PLANNED SCHEDULE OUTLINED BELOW: (EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE NOTED MRS. SEAMANS AND MRS. SIEVERING WILL ACCOMPANY.)

2. TRAVEL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, 9/21, ARRIVE VIENNA (EXACT ARRIVAL TIMES TO BE PROVIDED LATER);

TUESDAY, 9/23, LV VIENNA 1810 VIA OS 231 ARRIVING PARIS 2000, LV PARIS

2115 VIA IT 247 ARRIVING MARSEILLE 2215;

WEDNESDAY, 9/24, LV MARSEILLE 1900 VIA IT 7242 ARRIVING PARIS 2010;

THURSDAY, 9/25, IN PARIS;

FRIDAY, 9/26, LV PARIS 1340 VIA AF 752 ARRIVING COLOGNE 1445;

SATURDAY, 9/27, LV COLOGNE 1215 VIA LH 058 ARRIVING LONDON 1340;

SUNDAY, 9/28, LV LONDON 1125 VIA BE 782 ARRIVING OSLO 1320;

WEDNESDAY, 10/1, LV OSLO FOR WASHINGTON (EXACT SCHEDULE AVAILABLE LATER.)

3. EACH ADDRESSEE POST REQUESTED TO DESIGNATE CONTROL OFFICER TO COORDINATE DETAILS OF ADMINISTRATOR'S VISIT. WOULD APPRECIATE POSTS MAKING ARRANGEMENTS (A) MEET TRAVELERS ON ARRIVAL AND RETURN THEM TO AIRPORT FOR DEPARTURE, (B) PROVIDE CAR AND DRIVER UNCLASSIFIED

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DURING VISIT, AND (C) HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS; HOTEL REQUIREMENTS EXCEPT AS NOTED ARE TWO DOUBLE AND ONE SINGLE IN ALL CASES, EACH WITH BATH, EUROPEAN PLAN, AND MODERATELY PRICED IN AREAS CONVENIENTLY LOCATED.

4. FOR VIENNA: UNDERSTAND PARTY HAS RESERVATIONS AT INTER-CONTINENTAL FOR NIGHT SEPT. 22, PLEASE ADD SAME RESERVATIONS FOR NIGHT SEPTEMBER 21 FOR SEAMANS, AND ROBERTS AND ADDITIONAL RESERVATION FOR SEPTEMBER 20 FOR SIEVERING.

5. FOR PARIS: (A) DR. SEAMANS AND BOTH ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATORS PLAN STAYING AT CEA FACILITIES IN CADARACHE NIGHT SEPTEMBER 23. MRS. SEAMANS AND MRS. SIEVERING WILL REMAIN PARIS.

(B) APPRECIATE POST COORDINATING CEA VISIT WITH GOLDSCHMIDT.

SCHEDULE DIFFERS FROM CEA PROPOSAL GIVEN IN LETTER GOLDSCHMIDT TO SIEVERING COPY TO SCICOUNS SALMON. DR. SEAMANS, HOWEVER, ANTICIPATES VISIT WITH GIRAUD FRIDAY MORING SEPTEMBER 26 AS SCHEDULED.

(C) ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, SEAMANS WILLING TO MEET WITH OECD/IEA OFFICIALS AND CALL ON VAN LENNEP IF MISSION BELIEVES THIS WOULD BE USEFUL. IF SO MISSION REQUESTED TO COORDINATE WITH EMBASSY ON SCHEDULE.

(D) IN ADDITION SEAMANS WOULD WELCOME OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH KEY FRENCH OFFICIALS CONCERNED WITH ENERGY R&D IF APPROPRIATE SCHEDULE CAN BE SET UP.

(E) WITHIN CONSTRAINTS OF PROPOSED CEA VISIT REQUEST EMBASSY AND OECD MISSION SUGGESTIONS ON VISIT SCHEDULE.

6. FOR BONN: (A) RECOGNIZING LIMIT OF TIME AND THAT SATURDAY NOT NORMAL WORKDAY, SEAMANS WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH KEY GERMAN OFFICIALS IN ENERGY R&D AND VISIT BENSBERG FAST REACTOR FACILITY AND HITEMP REACTOR AND NON-NUCLEAR FACILITIES AT JULICH.

(B) EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS FOR USEFUL VISIT REQUESTED.

(C) HOTEL NEEDS FOR SEPTEMBER 26 ARE FOR THREE SINGLES.

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7 FOR LONDON: (A) CURRENT SCHEDULE SEVERELY LIMITS SEAMANS' POTENTIAL TIME IN LONDON AND AS RESULT MAY PRECLUDE USEFUL VISIT. SEAMANS, HOWEVER, WILLING VISIT LONDON IF EMBASSY BELIEVES APPROPRIATE OPPORTUNITY CAN BE FOUND FOR MEETING WITH KEY ENERGY R&D OFFICIALS. EMBASSY ADVICE REQUESTED

(B) FYI: SEAMANS SCHEDULE TO ATTEND IEA R&D MINISTERIAL MEETING TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR EARLY NOVEMBER AND COULD CONSIDER APPROPRIATE VISIT IMMEDIATELY BEFORE OR AFTER AEA MEETING. END FYI.

(C) POSSIBILITY OF ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR ROBERTS VISITING UK AEA FACILITIES SEPARATELY STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION AND UKAEA REP GAUNT AWARE OF POTENTIAL VISIT. EXACT SCHEDULE TO BE FIRMED UP AFTER DECISION ON SEAMANS VISIT.

8. FOR OSLO: (A) ADMINISTRATOR SEAMANS HAS ACCEPTED INVITATION OF PHILLIPS PETROLEUM TO VISIT NORTH SEA OPERATIONS AND DETAILS NOW BEING WORKED OUT. WE WILL KEEP EMBASSY INFORMED AND IF FINAL SCHEDULE PERMITS, SEAMANS, WHO WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY DR. PHILIP WHITE, ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR FOSSIL FUELS, WILL BE WILLING TO MEET WITH NORWEGIAN ENERGY R&D OFFICIALS THAT EMBASSY BELIEVES APPROPRIATE AND USEFUL.

9. FOR BRUSSELS: (A) SEAMANS WOULD APPRECIATE MR. RUBIN JOINING
DISCUSSIONS WITH MR. GIRAUD ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 AND ACCOMPANYING
GROUP ON BONN VISIT. PLEASE ADVISE AVAILABILITY.

10. PLEASE CABLE RESPONSES AND INCLUDE ERDA AIA/NELSON SIEVERING, JR.
AS ADDRESSEE.
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